

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/080,713 Confirmation No.: 9155  
Appellants : Alan Colman et al.  
Filed : February 25, 2002  
TC/A.U. : 1600/1632  
Examiner : Thaian N. Ton  
Title : Method of Preparing a Somatic Cell for Nuclear Transfer  
Docket No. : 10758.105015  
Customer No. : 20786

Commissioner for Patents  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding office action mailed April 14, 2009, Applicants herewith submit a response and a Request for Continued Examination. Applicants herewith petition that the due date for response be extended pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for three months, to and including October 14, 2009. A credit card authorization is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this request, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 11-0980.

Respectfully submitted,  
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